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Inventor(s): Kitson et al.

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Title: LIQUID CRYSTAL ALIGNMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicants are submitting the present document in response to a Final Action dated 2 JUN 2004 (hereinafter "the Office Action") for the above-noted application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.